

Amendments to the Claims

1. (Original) A process for producing a transparent multilayer stretched product, comprising: providing a resin laminate including at least one layer of polyglycolic acid resin, heat-forming and cooling the resin laminate, reheating the laminate until the polyglycolic acid resin layer is crystallized to be opaque, and then stretching the re-heated resin laminate.
2. (Original) A process according to Claim 1, wherein the resin laminate after the cooling is transparent.
3. (Currently amended) A process according to Claim 1 or 2, wherein the polyglycolic acid resin occupies at most 10 wt.% of the resin laminate.
4. (Currently amended) A process according to ~~any one of Claims 1–3~~ Claim 1, wherein the polyglycolic acid resin layer comprises a polyglycolic acid resin having a sufficiently high content of polymerized glycolic acid units as to exhibit a gas-barrier property.
5. (Original) A process according to Claim 4, wherein the polyglycolic acid resin comprises glycolic acid homopolymer.
6. (Currently amended) A process according to ~~any one of Claims 1–5~~ Claim 1, wherein the resin laminate immediately prior to the stretching exhibits a haze of at least 40%.
7. (Currently amended) A process according to ~~any one of Claims 1–6~~ Claim 1, wherein the resin laminate includes an aromatic polyester resin layer in addition to the polyglycolic acid resin layer.

8. (Currently amended) A process according to ~~any one of Claims 1—6~~ Claim 1, wherein the resin laminate includes another biodegradable resin layer in addition to the polyglycolic acid resin layer.
9. (Currently amended) A multilayer stretched product obtainable through a process a production process according to ~~any one of Claims 1—8~~ Claim 1.